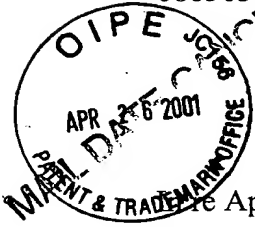


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Application of:

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING
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Dear Sir:

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Applicants respectfully request, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, that the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form be considered and cited in the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of these references are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. No representation is made that a search has been made, that these references are material to the patentability of the present application, or that these references qualify as prior art.

Applicants respectfully submit that the claims of this application are patentably distinguishable from these references.

Respectfully submitted,

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	D	4,512,025	04/16/85	Frankel et al.	375	36	11/23/82
	E	4,578,537	03/25/86	Faggin et al.	179	2 DP	08/05/83
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	F	5,671,251	09/23/97	Blackwell et al.	375	222	02/28/95
	G	5,673,290	09/30/97	Cioffi	375	260	06/07/95
	H	5,675,575	10/07/97	Wall, Jr. et al.	370	326	04/14/95
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